

DEBRIS BURNS,  
FIVE ARE DEADSerious Wreck Near Chicago  
This Morning

## WESTERN STOCKMEN DIE

Their Special Train Was Run into by  
the "Cincinnati Flyer" and Piled  
in the Ditch—Many Cattle  
Were Killed.

Chicago, Sept. 28.—A special stock train and the "Cincinnati Flyer" were in collision here this morning and five men were killed and a score were seriously injured. The dead and injured were all on the stock train, being stockmen from Montana and North Dakota. None of the passengers or the crew of the passenger train was injured. Many cattle were burned to death when the stock train was derailed and caught fire. The people killed and injured were riding on the rear end of the stock train when the "Flyer," going at a fast rate, crashed into them, throwing the cars in every direction.

## SAVED BY A FEW FEET.

Boston Flyer Has Close Call from Bad  
Disaster at South Keene.

Keene, N. H., Sept. 28.—The flyer from Boston due here at 1:40 yesterday afternoon was wrecked at South Keene. The train had orders to wait at South Keene for the train leaving Keene at 2:17, and waited on the side track until that train passed and then started up. In some way the switch that was used as a derailer was open and the wheels of the engine went off the track, but as it was not going very fast it simply turned over on its side, the tender turning partly over.

## PEARY SEES HUBBARD.

And They Go over the Controversy with  
Cook.

Bar Harbor, Me., Sept. 28.—Commander Robert E. Peary, accompanied by his wife, reached here last night from Portland and within half an hour of his arrival was in conference with Gen. Cook as E. Hubbard, president of the Peary Arctic club, concerning the statement which will shortly be made public by Commander Peary to support his contention that Dr. Frederick A. Cook did not reach the pole.

There is nothing to say just now," said General Hubbard last night. "Commander Peary is here and we are looking over the data he has on the Cook controversy, but there is no statement to be made at this time."

No date has been set for the meeting of the officers of the Peary Arctic club, and I shall not determine that until my return to New York next week.

During the trip to Bar Harbor, Peary spoke frequently of Harry Whitney. "There might have been some strange reasons why Whitney did not go back to Etah in the Jeanie for Dr. Cook's stuff," he said. "I cannot understand how anyone could let such records get out of his hands. I would not give my records to my dearest relative."

"I kept my records under watch day and night and was prepared in case the Roosevelt was crushed in the ice to throw them overboard so that they could float in their cases. Can you imagine me giving up those records to a perfect stranger?"

"Harry Whitney did not tell me what was in Dr. Cook's stuff except six fox skins, a narwhal horn and some other trophies. I could not see why I should have carried the stuff when Cook could have taken it. If Dr. Cook's stuff was of such importance why did not Whitney go back in the Jeanie and get it?"

"I saw Dr. Cook's sleds at Etah and looked it over carefully while Professor McMillan held up Cook's snow shoes and showed them to me. But I didn't examine the snow shoes carefully."

"On my return from the pole," he continued, "I saw all the Eskimos and talked with them and what I heard I would not credit Cook's claims. The letter that informed me that Dr. Cook had claimed the pole was from a whaler named Capt. Adams and not Walker, as has been stated. The letter was dated June 17 and I received it at Cape York."

## ARM BROKEN AT FOOT BALL.

First Injuries in Practice Occurred at  
Harvard Yesterday.

Cambridge, Mass., Sept. 28.—The first injuries resulting from the football practice at Harvard occurred yesterday when H. P. Piernie of Worcester, left end on the scrub team, broke his arm in a hard tackle. He was given into the hands of the doctors and will not be able to play again this season.

The scrub team full back had punted the ball down the field to Quarterback O'Flaherty, and Piernie made an unusually hard tackle of the latter, which resulted in the injury.

Leslie of Chicago, the regular half-back, was also laid up for a replacement and had to be replaced by a substitute. It is expected he will be in the practice again today.

## LOSES ONLY INDUSTRY.

Moulton Mill, Randolph, Me., Burns  
With Loss of \$20,000.

Gardiner, Me., Sept. 28.—By the destruction of the Moulton lumber mill yesterday the town of Randolph loses its only industry owned by home capital. The mill, with 30,000 feet of lumber, 75,000 shingles and shingle machinery was destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$20,000, only about \$2,000 of which is covered by insurance.

The fire is thought to have originated from a hot box. The burning of the mill will throw 20 men out of employment. The owners of the mill are Joseph and Warren S. Moulton and heirs of the Oliver Moulton estate.

WILL TWIST EARTH  
OUT OF ITS SHAPEDuring the Next Three Days Some Very  
Violent Seismic Disturbances May  
Be Expected, Predict  
Scientists.

Rome, Sept. 28.—M. Barrone, a noted astronomer, predicts violent seismic disturbances within the next few days. He says the present sunspot is the largest ever. Frank Perret of Brooklyn, assistant director of the Royal observatory at Venissieux, who predicted the Messina earthquake, says that within the next three days the positions of the sun, the moon, Saturn and Jupiter, will put a tremendous strain on the earth, which may be elliptical instead of spherical.

Messina, Sept. 28.—Frank A. Perret, the American volcanologist, who arrived here yesterday believes from his scientific deductions that this part of Sicily will again be the scene of seismic disturbances. Mr. Perret said:

"Wednesday, September 29, is the date most favorable for earthquakes or eruptions. At that time the sun, earth and moon are in line with each other, and the moon also is at its nearest approach to the earth. This combination occurs frequently, leading to produce gravitational distortion of the earth's form, namely, to change the earth from a sphere to an ellipse. This extra strain often acts upon weak spots in the earth's crust, causing them to give way and thus producing earthquakes or volcanic eruptions."

On Wednesday it happens that the planet Mars also is nearest to the earth and also almost directly in line with the earth and the moon, while Saturn is not far from the same line. Jupiter, although far on the other side of the sun, is also in a line with the earth. When their effect is added, the strain will be greater than usual. Thus I consider that Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday next will be very dangerous. Possibly nothing very special will occur but this will simply mean that the earth has resisted the danger that nevertheless existed."

TRAGEDY FOLLOWS  
SISTER'S WEDDINGAmos Wells of Manchester, Vt., Killed  
Himself by Shooting Two Hours  
After Wedding Ceremony.

Manchester, Sept. 28.—About two hours after his sister, Jennie, was married yesterday morning, Amos Wells of Manchester shot himself through the head with a revolver. He died about an hour later. His sister was married at 10 o'clock and about 10:30 o'clock he committed the rash act. Mr. Wells had tried to end his life on two other occasions some time ago, and last week one of his brothers made an unsuccessful attempt at suicide by taking poison. He is now in his wife and several young children.

## BABY WAS NOT POISONED.

"Just What I Expected!" Exclaimed  
Admiral Eaton.

Boston, Sept. 28.—Medical Examiner J. Winthrop Spooner of Hingham, has received from Professor Whitney of Harvard, the report on the examination of the stomach of the baby of Rear Admiral and Mrs. J. G. Eaton of Annapolis. Professor Whitney reports that the stomach shows no indication of poison. When the baby died, two months ago, after a twelve hours' illness, Mrs. Eaton declared that the child had been poisoned.

Dr. Harry Cleverly of North Scituate, the attending physician, gave the cause of the infant's death as cholera infantum.

## MOTOR CYCLE RACE OFF.

Rain Made Track Too Dangerous For  
Six-Day Event.

New York, Sept. 28.—After having raced for 12 hours out of a scheduled six-day event, the motor cycle race on the Brighton Beach track was called off by the management shortly after two o'clock yesterday afternoon because of the dangerous condition of the track. Following the rain the track had become slippery and after several minor accidents it was decided best not to risk life and limb for the sake of speed.

At the close of the race, only four out of the original five teams were competing. The two latter were having trouble in the lead they had maintained from the start. The New York team covered 699 miles.

## JEFFRIES COMING BACK.

Prize-Fighter Going to Get a Line on  
Johnson.

New York, Sept. 28.—The Hotel Albany has received a cable from James J. Jeffries, asking it to reserve a room for himself and wife next week. An operation on his leg has aided Jeffries' wind. He is likely to go to the coast to get a line on Johnson in the Ketchell fight.

## CLYDE FITCH'S BODY.

Arrived at New York To-day from  
France—He Died in France.

New York, Sept. 28.—The body of Clyde Fitch, who died near Paris, arrived today aboard Grolier Kurfurst, accompanied by his mother. A delegation of the Fitchs, of which Fitch was the first president, met it with flowers.

## WILL BE EXHIBITED.

The Half-Moon and The Clermont Along  
Atlantic Seaboard.

New York, Sept. 28.—The Half-Moon and the Clermont will be permanent features of the New York harbor. This decision has been reached by the Hudson-Bellon committee. But they will be first exhibited in various cities along the Atlantic seaboard.

## NEWSPAPER IS POSITIVE

That King Manuel of Portugal Is to  
Marry Next April.

Lisbon, Sept. 28.—Several prints positively that King Manuel is to marry next April Princess Alexandrine, eldest daughter of the duke of Fife, and niece of King Edward.

CABINET MAN  
GETS A MEDALSecretary of War Dickinson  
Honored To-day

## FIRST TIME IN HISTORY

That a Cabinet Member Has Been Given  
a Government Medal for Life-  
saving—No Formality  
To-day.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 28.—A gold life-saving medal was presented to-day to Secretary of War Dickinson for rescuing James F. Joy, a Detroit lawyer, from drowning in August, 1898. This is the first time that a member of a president's cabinet has ever been so honored by the government. The medal was presented to Secretary Dickinson by Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Hilles and the presentation was without formality of any sort. President Taft approved the presentation before his departure for the West.

## OBSTRUCTION ON TRACK.

Attempt to Wreck Freight Train on  
Rutland Railroad.

Middlebury, Sept. 28.—About ten o'clock Sunday night the engine crew of a special through freight bound south when about 25 or 30 rods north of Middlebury station discovered an obstruction on the track and the train was brought to a stop when only a short distance from it. The obstruction was found to consist of a railroad tie across the rail with a heap of stone piled around it. Before the freight renewed its journey it was discovered that the air brake had been shut off but how and by whom is yet a mystery.

The railroad offices in Rutland were notified of the occurrence and Special Officer John W. Brinley of Rutland arrived here on the sleeper yesterday morning to investigate. Mr. Brinley got Deputy Sheriff N. J. Sanford to accompany him and at about five o'clock in the morning they arrested a tramp in a box car on a siding only a short distance from the scene of the attempted wreck. The stranger said his name was Frank Wallace and declined to give his residence and was placed in the Addison county jail to await a hearing.

## DEAD BESIDE THE TRACK.

Body of Herbert Sias Discovered By  
Train Crew at Dover.

Dover, N. H., Sept. 28.—The body of Herbert Sias was discovered by the crew of a freight train beside the track on the railroad near Kenney's bridge about 10 o'clock last night. The body was badly mangled, the arms and legs being crushed and twisted, the bones of the legs protruding through the flesh. The back of the head was also crushed in.

The body was cold when found, and it is supposed that he was struck by the train about 10 o'clock. Undertakers (Hildson and Glyden) removed the body to their undertaking rooms, where it was identified by Special Officer McCarty.

## TWO GIRLS HURT.

Thrown From Team When Auto Fright-  
ened Horse.

Morrisville, Sept. 28.—While Misses Alfie Smith and Ella Hoyt were out driving Sunday afternoon, the horse, a colt, became frightened at an automobile, threw the young ladies out, and ran away, demolishing the carriage. Miss Smith received injuries about the head and face and was unconscious for a long time. Through the day Monday she was in a delirious condition. Miss Hoyt received a sprained ankle and a severe shaking up.

## WEDNESDAY AT 2 P. M.

Funeral of Ex-Gov. Bell Will Be Held  
at Walden.

Walden, Sept. 28.—The funeral services of former Gov. Charles James Bell, who died suddenly in the Grand Central station at New York of heart failure, Saturday evening, will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at his home here. The Rev. H. A. Campbell, of East Hardwick, will officiate and the burial will take place in the cemetery here. It is expected that a number of state officials will attend the funeral.

## JUDGE MILES BETTER.

Able to Leave Burlington For His Home  
in Barton.

Burlington, Sept. 28.—Chittenden county court will not convene until October 3, a week from today. Judge W. W. Miles, who has been ill at the Van Ness house, is much improved and left today for his home in Barton. He expects to be entirely recovered by the time that court opens.

## BARNARD POSTMASTER.

Jennie L. Thayer Commissioned as  
Presidential Appointment.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 28.—The postoffice department announces that Jennie L. Thayer has been commissioned presidential postmaster at Barnard, Vt.

## GRANITEVILLE.

I will sell at private sale my house, furniture consisting of an organ, sewing machine, chamber suits, iron bedsteads, mattresses, carpets (18 yards as good as new), and lots of other things that a man wants to keep house. Good looking chairs. Inquire of R. D. Campbell.

Tag!

## MEETING AT ST. JOHNSBURY.

Vermont Branch of The Woman's Board  
of Missions.

St. Johnsbury, Sept. 28.—The thirty-seventh annual meeting of the Vermont Branch of The Woman's Board of Missions is in session at the South Congregational church today. The meeting opened yesterday at 3:30 p. m. with a devotional service, which was attended by about 100 delegates who were in attendance. At 7:30 last evening a session of the Woman's Home Missionary union was held, the president, Mrs. Edward G. Osgood, presiding. The program follows: Organ voluntary; vocal solo, Mrs. Benjamin Smith; "Life at Douglas," Mrs. Allen Bird; hymn, N. C. "Our Work in New Mexico," Rev. Edward S. Todd, secretary of the Congregational Education society; benediction, Rev. Stephen G. Barnes, D. D.

Today's program was as follows: 9:00 a. m. devotional service led by Mrs. George C. Pagan, Newbury; scriptures and prayer; welcome, Mrs. Henry Fairbanks; the treasury, Miss May E. Manley; "Our Work at Home," Mrs. John Gibson; appointment of committees; "The Missionary Spirit—How to Get It," Mrs. Edward G. Osgood; "Our Work Abroad," Miss Mary O. Torrey; "Needed Today," Mrs. C. M. Lamm.

2:00 p. m.—Opening service led by Mrs. G. R. Miller; reports of committees; election of officers; prayer; solo, Mrs. Don C. Stiles; "What the Young People Are Doing," Miss Matilda P. Goulding; "A Strategic Moment," Miss Lucia C. Whitney; offering for incidental expenses; hymn; "Zulu School Girls," Miss Matilda P. Goulding, South Africa.

At four o'clock there will be a young people's hour, with short talks by Miss Price of Africa, Miss Osborne of China and Miss Withers of Boston. 7:30 p. m.—"The Kingdom of God as a Hope and a Challenge," Rev. Stephen G. Barnes, D. D., address; Miss Harriet L. Osborne, Ding-doh, China.

The executive committee met in the church parlor at two o'clock yesterday afternoon and an informal reception was given to the delegates and friends from nine to ten in the church parlors last evening.

## FUNERAL OF MRS. G. I. STOW.

At Chelsea Was Attended By a Large  
Number of People.

Chelsea, Sept. 28.—The funeral of Mrs. George L. Stow was held from her late home Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. The Rev. George E. Lake officiated. The unusually large attendance bore silent testimony of the universal respect and esteem in which she was held, and the especially beautiful profusion of flowers which rested upon and about the casket depicted with unmistakable emphasis the sweetness of her everyday life, in not only her own home but in the community. Two selections were rendered, one by a trio, and a solo by Mrs. W. S. Hatch.

Interment was in the lot of her first husband, the late Aaron Davis in Highland cemetery, the bearers being Alvah W. Whitney, E. D. Barnes, William F. Reed and Edward E. Stow, son and daughter of the late lamented William H. Davis, D. D., and a grandson of the late Aaron Davis, stepped to the side of the open grave and thanked God for the refining and enduring influence of her book of life, just closed, supplemented by his fervent prayer with the benediction.

Among the relatives present, were a brother, George Rice, of West Topsham; her only child, Edward A. Davis, and wife of Bethel; a niece, Miss Laura Rice, of West Topsham; a nephew, Augustus Carter, his wife, son and daughter of Lehigh, N. H.; two step-grandchildren, the Rev. Robert Meehan Davis, who for two years has been the associate pastor of the "Old Brick" church in New York City, but who in the near future goes to England, N. J., where he has accepted a call to become the pastor of a large and flourishing church in that city; and Edward Aaron Davis of Harwichport, Mass., who has just entered upon his freshman year in Dartmouth college at Hanover, N. H.

Mrs. Stow was the youngest child of the late Col. and Mrs. Rice who came to this town from Ashburham, Mass., when she was about five years old, and her life has been spent in this town, and has been one of true devotion to her home and friends. She was sixty-seven years old and is survived by her husband, the son and three brothers, George Rice of West Topsham, Lucien and Emory Rice who reside in Massachusetts, the two latter now being able to present. The three brothers are each over eighty years of age. The entire townspeople are mourners and feel with keen appreciation the loss they have sustained, and extend to the bereaved husband and son most sincere sympathy.

## MONSTER SHORE DINNER

Has Been Arranged by St. Johnsbury  
People.

St. Johnsbury, Sept. 28.—The doctors of St. Johnsbury have arranged a monster shore dinner to be given at the fair grounds, Friday, Oct. 1, for the benefit of Brightbrook hospital. The program of the day includes a clambake at one o'clock. This will be followed by a ball game between the doctors of Caledonia county.

A long list of speakers have agreed to air their views on state affairs, among them three who have been in the limelight of late on account of the governorship talk. They are Lieut. Gov. Mend. Frederick G. Fleetwood, and Charles W. Gates, state road commissioner. The clambake will be served by Rev. J. A. Dixon of West Charleston and the St. Johnsbury band will furnish music throughout the day.

At 7:30 in the evening the Caledonia County Medical association will be addressed by Dr. J. N. McCormack, secretary of the state board of health of Kentucky. His lecture will be on "Things about the doctor which the public ought to know," and it will be followed by a discussion of the subject by members of the audience. H. N. Turner will preside and some who will take part in the discussion are: W. P. Smith, judge of probate, Rev. E. T. Fairbanks, Rev. S. G. Barnes, and Alexander Dunnett.

ARM MANGLED  
IN MACHINEF. D. McCrillis of Groton  
Suffers Second Misfortune

## AND WITHIN A FEW MONTHS

He Is One of the Proprietors of New  
Bobbins Shop and Was Repaired  
a Lathe When His Sleeve  
Got Caught.

Groton, Sept. 28.—F. D. McCrillis was seriously injured at his bobbin mill early yesterday morning, the accident happening immediately after starting the mill. As Mr. McCrillis was repairing a lathe his sleeve caught upon a set screw and before the machinery could be stopped several pieces of bone being later removed by Dr. J. N. Eastman, who dressed the wound.

It is hoped the injury will not be permanent, but it is one that will take a long time to heal. Much sympathy has been expressed for Mr. McCrillis, the accident coming so soon after his heavy loss in the fire which destroyed the shop of Hall and McCrillis, the latter part of May. After the fire he purchased the saw-mill of T. B. Hall and in partnership with I. N. Hall had erected a bobbin mill in connection, which had been running about two weeks.

## 550 HUNTERS IN BARRE

Who Have Taken Out Licenses and More  
Are Expected.

There have been 550 resident hunters' licenses granted in this city up to the present time and it is expected that as many more will be issued by the opening of the deer hunting season. This number is far larger than that of any other city or town in the state. City Clerk Merrill of Montpelier stated this morning that there had been 322 licenses granted to residents and would-be hunters in that city, and that he expected that there would be many more.

The figures to date of the number granted in the other cities are not at hand, but a few days ago, when City Clerk Mackay had granted 300 in Barre, there had been but a few over 100 granted in Burlington.

Of the supply of 20,000 licenses ordered at the beginning of the open season, State Commissioner Thomas of Stowe has already issued 19,000 and has ordered 5,000 more. It is doubtful if even this number will be sufficient to supply the demand. It was estimated that three per cent. of the population would be a sufficient supply, but this number has already doubled in this state.

On this estimate the city of Barre alone has already taken practically three per cent. of the total number issued to date.

## DISCHARGE DENIED.

Thomas Brady's Estate Still in Bank-  
ruptcy Court.

Judge J. A. Martin of the United States district court has approved the petition of Thomas W. N. Threlkeld, refusing to discharge Thomas Brady, formerly of Barre, from bankruptcy, and when the stock of the trustee and referee is completed the case will be discharged. The grounds for the denial of the discharge are alleged to be irregularities in bookkeeping, failure to keep proper account of moneys and to submit the petition and to compromise with creditors within six months. Another dividend has been declared of ten per cent., making a total of fifty per cent. The amount of Brady's liabilities was \$12,000.

At the final meeting in the case of P. K. Wheeler, also of Barre, the accounts of J. Ward Barker, trustee, were approved and allowed. The case of George H. Holden of Montpelier was dismissed for want of prosecution, while R. E. Bailey of Montpelier was appointed trustee of the estate of E. A. Camp of Barre.

## TALK OF THE TOWN

Mrs. James Taylor arrived in the city  
last night from Scotland.

Mrs. Andrew Knapp went to Enfield, N. H., to-day for a visit with friends. The advantage of being satisfied is offered by Mrs. Knapp's barber shop.

John E. Calf of Washington left this noon for a visit with relatives in Boston and Providence.

Mrs. T. C. Peters, who has been visiting friends in the city for the past few months, returned to-day to her home in New York.

The W. C. T. U. social, which was to be held at the home of Mrs. F. D. Beckley on Park street, has been postponed on account of the rain.

New picture to-day at the Bijou theatre, a Biograph, "A Fair Exchange" is the title, and the story was taken from the famous George Eliot novel, "Silas Marner." It is a great educational drama for old and young. High school pupils especially should see it.

"Across the Divide," at Dreamland to-day is now, and another of those much enjoyed Selig Western dramas. There is something exciting in it every minute. It is very true to the life of the West not long ago. Many will like it. S. F. Seigel and company respectfully ask all those who have guess coupons on their clock to please bring or send them in not later than to-morrow morning, as this is the last time to be given any one on the clock contest. The name of the person who wins the prize will be published in Wednesday's paper.

Among arrivals at the City hotel last evening and to-day were J. R. Burnett, S. S. Young, Boston; Mrs. A. M. McKenize, Leominster, Mass.; G. S. Stacy, G. G. George, New York; H. H. Bowen, W. W. Eaton, Albany, N. Y.; George Leich, Burlington; J. S. Sanil, Rochester; C. F. Whitney, Boston; H. H. Brown, Philadelphia.

## CAYHUE-PARKER.

Wedding of Well Known Barre People  
This Morning.

The marriage of Miss Annie R. Parker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Parker of 113 Hill street, and Joseph J. Cayhuc, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cayhuc of 248 North Main street, was solemnized at seven o'clock this morning at St. Monica's church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. P. M. McKenna, the parish priest, and was attended by many of the friends of both the bride and groom.

Miss Albertine Grenier of Westport, N. Y., was the bridesmaid and Andrew J. Guthrie of Northfield was the groomsmen. The bride was attired in an old rose traveling suit and carried a prayer book. The bridesmaid was also dressed in the same color.

Mr. and Mrs. Cayhuc left on the 9:05 train for a two weeks' wedding trip to Boston and New York and upon their return will reside at the Morse block. As they were departing, a party of friends were on hand at the station to bid them fagwell and the car in which they started looked as if it had passed through a storm of confetti.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Cayhuc are well known in this city and both have many friends, who will wish them well. Mrs. Cayhuc has been employed for the past six years as stenographer and bookkeeper in the office of P. P. McCarthy, international secretary-treasurer of the quarry workers' union, and Mr. Cayhuc has been for the past three years interested in the lunch room in Depot square conducted by his father, Jesse Cayhuc. They were the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts.

## BEAULIEU-MINNIE.

Wedding at St. Monica's Church This  
Morning at 6:30.

Miss Stella Minnie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Minnie of 16 Forestry place, and Joseph Beaulieu, also of this city, were united in matrimony at 6:30 this morning at St. Monica's church. Rev. Fr. LaFontaine officiating.

The bridesmaid was Miss Mamie Minnie, sister of the bride, and the best man was Philip Beaulieu, brother of the groom. The bride was charmingly attired in white tulle and carried a bouquet of white carnations, and the bridesmaid wore white duchess lace over white tulle.

The happy couple left on the 9:05 train for a week's wedding trip to Montreal and Ottawa and upon their return will reside at 4 First street. Mr. Beaulieu is a granite cutter employed by Jones & Stevens.

## ARE ANXIOUS DAYS.

For Friends of Montpelier Seminary  
Over Endowment Fund.

These are anxious days for the principal, trustees and friends of Montpelier Seminary for the time limit for Dr. D. K. Pearson's gift of \$50,000 expired Thursday night in case the school is not able to raise \$100,000 additional. Principal Bishop is confident that the friends of the school will rally and contribute the \$60,000 necessary to secure Dr. Pearson's gift.

Dr. Pearson is himself anxious for the school to raise the amount and drew on him for \$50,000 for he wrote Principal Bishop as follows:

"I see you are going to win. Do not come out here, but have your papers all complete and signed by your trustees and send them to me. Then, if you all right, I will send you \$50,000 brought on New York or Boston, and that will end the struggle. Now have your able business men look for places to put the money. Have them commence at once. I read the clippings from your papers (Montpelier Journal and St. Albans Messenger) and they are all right. It will do you a great deal of good to sign the check. An old man, nearly ninety, needs tonic often. Trust the money to a perpetual endowment. It is sacred, a perpetual endowment."

The second letter says: "Get your money. You can do it. Call a meeting of the people of Montpelier and let your best men talk to them. Do not give up the ship."

A friend of the school has to say of the project, "Montpelier's final investment of \$50,000 in the seminary fund, will be money in her own pocket. She could make no better investment in her own private life, and when she considers the valuable service rendered by the institution on the hill in its seventy-five years of life, it seems impossible that the few thousand pledged today should remain wanting on Friday."

## CHAMPIONSHIP DIPLOMA.

Won By E. M. Lyon's Rose Combed  
Rhode Island Reds at State Fair.

E. M. Lyon's exhibit of Rose Combed Rhode Island Reds at the state fair poultry show won the diploma for the championship cup offered by the Rhode Island Red club of America. The cup is to be competed for at six shows and awarded to the fancier winning the most diplomas, a diploma being given to the one winning the most points at a show. This is the second diploma won by the Rhode Island Reds. The ribbon won this year were 1 and 2 pen for old birds, 1 and 2 pen for chickens, 1 and 2 cock, 1 and 2 hen, 1 and 2 pullet, 3, 4, and 5 cockerel, and the \$5 special prize for the best Red display.

## LIGHTEST SPOT IN BARRE

Is the Store Where Holophone Reflectors  
Are Being Shown.

F. W. Loomis of Newark, Ohio, an illuminating engineer in the employ of the Holophone company, which is giving an exhibit at the Hotel building, gave an interesting talk and demonstration of his company's goods last evening. The talk was on "Lighting versus Illumination," and in it Mr. Loomis showed the increased value of the ordinary light when the holophone reflector is attached and without. He also showed the difference in light for a given price of the ordinary incandescent light and the Tungsten lights. The demonstration is given under the auspices of the Consolidated Lighting company.

The second of the series of talks will be given this evening at eight o'clock from the subject, "Illumination in General: How to use your lights for the best results." Merchants and householders should all be interested. Watch the lights and see Mr. Loomis' most brilliantly lighted spot. All are invited to attend.

ALIENATION  
SUIT TRIEDJohn Livingston of Fayston  
Seeks \$10,000

## JOHN SMAILS DEFENDANT

Juror Tibbets in Barre Quarry Accident  
Case Still Sick To-day and the  
Trial Had to Be Put Over  
Again.